

Get Ready, Engaged, & Informed US EPA Holds Community Information Sessions on Portland Harbor

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Open House: 6:30-7pm	77 NE Knott St, Portland
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Thursday, February 18	Woodrow Wilson High School Cafeteria
Open House: 6-6:30 pm	1151 SW Vermont St, Portland, OR
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Thursday, March 3	More information to follow
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Wednesday, March 16	SE Portland, Location and time TBD

To learn more or receive updated notifications, visit: http://go.usa.gov/3Wf2B or contact Alanna Conley at 503-326-6831.

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NEW! Community Information Sessions

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